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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE
NOTICE OF APPEAL (Small Entity)

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Invention:

OPEN SOURCE ADAPTER FOR ELECTRONIC TRANSACTION DEVICE

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of December 17, 2002 in the above-identified application.

Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: March 17, 2003 until: June 17, 2003

Date

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A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is \$465 and is to be paid as follows:

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